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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

Thomas L. CANTOR et al.

Serial No.: 09/231,422

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For: METHODS, KITS AND ANTIBODIES
FOR DETECTING PARATHYROID
HORMONE

Examiner: Jacob Changhwa CHEU

Group Art Unit: 1641

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments to the specification. This amendment is filed before payment of the issue fee and applicants respectfully request entry of the amendment pursuant to MPEP 714.16 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.312. A mark-up version of the amended portion of the specification is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

No new matter is being added by this amendment. The amendment does not raise any issue not previously considered by the Examiner.

In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph at page 6, lines 14-22 with the following rewritten paragraph: